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By J. M. SLOAN, DENTIST.
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AT POTOSI from the 1st to the 15th of each month.
AT BELGRADE from the 16th to the 31st.

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DR. G. S. ROYD, Optometrist.
Teachers' Examinations.
The next regular examination of applicants for teachers' certificates will be held in the Public School building, Potosi, Friday and Saturday, March 1st and 2d, 1918.

ORDER OF SUBJECTS—FIRST DAY.
Geography, 8 to 9:30 a. m.
Language, 9 to 10:30 a. m.
Algebra, 10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Orthography, 11 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Grammar, 1:30 to 3:30 p. m.
Arithmetic, 3:30 to 5 p. m.
Literature, 3:30 to 5 p. m.
Reading, 4:30 to 6 p. m.
SECOND DAY.
Civil Government, 8 to 9:30 a. m.
U. S. History, 9 to 10:30 a. m.
Agriculture, 10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Algebra, 10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Adv. Science, 10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Physiology, 1:30 to 3 p. m.
Writing, 2 to 3 p. m.
Pedagogy, 2:30 to 4:30 p. m.
Literature, 2:30 to 5 p. m.
Adv. History, 5:30 to 6 p. m.
BURWELL FOX, County Supt.

Lame Every Morning.

A Bad Back is Generally Worse in the Morning, Potosi People are Finding Relief.

A back that aches all day and causes discomfort at night is usually worse in the morning. Makes you feel as if you hadn't slept at all.

You can't get rid of kidney backache, until you reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for weakened or disordered kidneys—have been gratefully recommended by thousands.

Testimony of Potosi people proves the merit of Doan's.

Eugene Hayes, blacksmith, Potosi, says: "I had a lame back and pains across my loins. It hurt me to stoop or lift and my back was stiff and lame when I first got up in the morning. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me prompt relief, and the good results have lasted, too."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Hayes had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Mrs. Norah Mulvaney met her old friend, Mrs. Bridget Carr, who had in her arms her twelfth child.
"Arrah, now, Bridget," said Norah, "an' there, ye are wid' another little Carr in yer arms."

"Another it is, Mrs. Mulvaney," replied her friend, "an' it's me that's hopin' 'tis the caboose."

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LOCAL ITEMS

Circuit court next week.
Some wind storm Monday.
The rural schools are closing.
Start a thrift garden this year.
Time for the spring cleaning up.
Raise a pig and help win the war.
The price of eggs has dropped to 30c.

Mr. H. C. Bell spent Monday in St. Louis.
Jay Brown visited homefolks at Belgrade Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Thebeau of Richwoods was in our town Monday.
Mr. W. S. Scott and son Herman, of Peoria, were in our town Friday.

Miss Amy Napper was the guest of Miss Susan Casey the past week.
Mrs. Chas. H. Richeson visited friends at De Soto Wednesday last.

Mr. Gideon S. Fitch of St. Louis was in Potosi Tuesday on business.
Mr. W. R. Heagler was home from Harrisburg, Ark., the first of the week.

The time limit filing income tax returns has been extended to April 1st.
Miss Edith Evans was home from the Cape Normal several days the past week.

Miss Luella Simpson was home from Richwoods the latter part of last week.
Harry Hockingheimer of Caledonia was a business caller at this office Monday.

Misses Anne and Mildred Breckenridge of Belgrade were in Potosi Saturday.
Mrs. J. B. Heagler and Mrs. Chas. Black spent a day or two in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. H. E. Johnson of Bismarck visited her daughter, Mrs. N. A. Maxwell, here last week.
A marriage license was issued at Hillsboro last week to Joseph Lore and Ruth Henry, of Potosi.

Ralph Blount, a student at the State University, spent several days here the past week visiting his parents.
H. C. Yarbrough of Apts was a visitor at this office Monday to have his name added to our subscription list.

Dr. J. P. Townsend and Dr. J. M. Sloan are now occupying their handsome new quarters in Dr. Townsend's hospital building.
Mr. J. M. Goforth of Peoria was in Potosi Thursday and was accompanied home by his daughter, who is teaching school in this locality.

Mr. Geo. F. Dickey of De Soto was in Potosi Thursday on his way to visit relatives at Quaker. Mr. Dickey is a clerk in the De Soto postoffice.
The epidemic of scarlet fever is said to be subsiding. The school was reopened Monday, after being closed for two weeks on account of the disease.

David Fraiser, aged 85, fell from a wagon load of fodder at De Soto one day last week and had his neck broken, his death following in a few minutes.
It seems well for Crawford county that there is not a trial case on the criminal docket for this term, and the jail has been empty for nearly a year.

Mr. Wm. M. Settle has returned to Potosi after an absence of several years. Being in poor health he is sojourning at Dr. Townsend's new hospital for the present.
Lucia Kelly one of Potosi's colored soldier boys, is home from Camp Funston on a furlough. Lucien says he is serving as army cook at the camp, and gets plenty to eat.

The ten men drawn to fill this county's deferred quota under the first draft took their departure Monday for Camp Funston. Their names were given in these columns last week.
Mr. J. N. Thompson of Hopewell was on our streets Tuesday. Mr. Thompson is only just out again after an illness of over two months with scarlet fever and complications.

Francis M. Caster, one of the oldest members of the southeast Missouri bar, died at his home in Farmington on Feb. 17th of pneumonia, aged 70 years. He was well-known throughout this section of the state.
B. L. Rhodes, a farmer living near Fredericktown, recently sold his land to a mining company for \$81,000. On receiving the money he gathered his wife and nine children about him and made each one a present of \$2,000.

Robert B. Monroe, the De Soto banker who was convicted on a charge of grand larceny for receiving deposits in the Jefferson County Bank, knowing it to be insolvent, has been granted a new trial by the Supreme Court.
Sam Agnew sold his 10 acre farm and also 17 acres known as Hedges Addition to Bismarck to W. C. Shirley. Mr. and Mrs. Agnew will leave in the near future for Boston, he being a member of the Boston Red Sox.—Bismarck Gazette.

Conductor Killed in Wreck.
William Evans, conductor, was killed, Fireman James Bage seriously injured and Engineer William Mills suffered numerous cuts and bruises when the "pusher" on which they were riding collided head-on with freight train No. 71, at Nabula, early Thursday morning. The "pusher" is used to help trains over the grades south of Arcadia.

The freight train was stopped when struck and its crew escaped injury by jumping from the cab. Engineer Mills assumes responsibility for the accident, stating that at the time he was trying to repair a steam valve that had become frozen, and the meeting point escaped his mind.
Fireman Bage was taken to the Missouri Pacific hospital. He was badly scalded about the face and head by escaping steam. Conductor Evans was killed instantly.—De Soto Press.

Bride Showered.
A "shower" was given by the young lady friends of Mrs. George Cresswell, a bride of a few weeks, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans, on last Saturday afternoon. She received many beautiful presents, including articles of cut-glass, sterling silver, fancy work, etc. Refreshments were served during the course of the afternoon. The affair was a surprise to Mrs. Cresswell, and was attended by twenty-five of her friends.

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Mrs. J. H. Fisher lately of Caledonia writes us to change the address of her paper to St. Louis, where she is now located.

All persons having completed garments for the Red Cross will please send same in to Mrs. Renj. Flynn not later than March 15th.

Willie Higgins, son of the late Judge John Higgins, died at his home near Potosi on Tuesday. His funeral will take place today, with interment in the Catholic cemetery.

The second draft will be made in May or June. As the registrants in the first class will all have been examined by that time, the men drawn will be sent out more rapidly than those summoned under the first call.

Mrs. W. Alderson of Cadet made this office a call Saturday and informed us that her son, W. F. Alderson, who was in the U. S. Regular Infantry at Camp Lewis, Wash., had recently been transferred to the U. S. Signal Corps.

Mineral Point if still compelled to get a long with a makeshift railroad depot composed of two old freight cars. We recommend the people of that burg to petition the State Public Service Board to take steps towards giving the junction a real depot.

Mrs. Ray Roland and little daughter Dorothy, of Fordyce, Ark., are visiting at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. J. C. Bell. Mrs. Vieth of Diehlstadt, Mo., is also a guest of Mrs. Bell. Mrs. Vieth was formerly Miss Bagwell, a teacher in the Potosi school.

The concert given here last Friday evening by Blind Boone drew a full house and all attending were much pleased with the performance. Blind Boone has lost none of his massive faculty for playing the piano, in fact, he seemed better than on his previous visits here. That part of the program filled by the singers was also enjoyed.

A carefully reprinted Independent last Thursday morning. Just as they were about to finish printing the week's edition of the Washington hand press fell out and the bed together with the forms broke down the frames upon which the old machine so badly and wrecked the old machine so badly that repairs are out of the question. Editor Bell is now arranging to put in a cylinder press. The old Washington press had done service in the independent office for nearly forty years.

Sheriff L. W. Casey went to St. Louis last Thursday and brought back with him Buford Wood, who was found guilty in the circuit court in 1915 on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon and was fined \$100. The court granted Wood a stay of execution of six months in which to pay his fine, after which he left the county. The Sheriff finally located him and is now boarding out the fine with the Sheriff. On his way home the same day Sheriff Casey rounded up Chris Sparks, a pool-room owner of Mineral Point, who was convicted at the last August term of circuit court of having allowed a minor to play pool on his premises. Sparks was fined \$50 and costs and was granted a stay of execution for six months in the payment of the fine, but as he defaulted in the payment of the costs in the meantime the Sheriff took steps to collect them. Sparks paid up the costs Thursday and was released, but he will have to dig up the amount of the fine this week while circuit court is in session.

Presbyterian Church Services.
Rev. Dr. E. C. Gordon of St. Louis filled the pulpit at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday in a most acceptable way. Next Sunday Rev. J. F. Forsyth of Caledonia will preach here, while Rev. M. L. Eaves, the pastor, will preach at Jackson, Mo.

In addition to the above announcement attention is called to the Three Million Dollar Campaign for All Benevolences now carried on by the Missouri Synod as well as the entire Southern Presbyterian Church. This is not a new movement with a new demand, but an organized effort to create interest and make the best "every member canvass" the church has yet made for its usual benevolences and to introduce the Assembly's plan of finance into the greatest number of churches. The goal for the Assembly is \$5,000,000; that for Missouri, \$150,000, and for the Potosi Presbytery, of which we are a part, \$11,000. Reports from all parts of our presbytery need to indicate that we will go "over the top."

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AUGUST A. BUSCH 10 AWARD GRANT FARM PIG AS ESSAY PRIZE

Boys and Girls Invited to Tell How to Keep and Fatten Hogs on Table Scraps.

A CONSERVATION MEASURE
Conditions of Contest Explained.
Prize to be Fine Thoroughbred White Yorkshire Pig.

The United States Food Administration has asked Missouri farmers to increase pork production 50 per cent in 1918. To accomplish this result and help our country win the war it will be necessary to produce 2,354,000 more hogs than last year. The task is great, but loyal Missourians, I am sure, will make every effort in their power to comply with the request of the government.

It is not a question of hogs alone, but also of feed. An increase of 50 per cent in feed will be necessary, but a considerable part of this feed can be obtained from table and kitchen scraps, which are too often wasted. The table scraps wasted by the average American family will keep and fatten for the market at least one hog, and possibly more. There should be one or more garbage-fed hogs on every Missouri farm and suburban home.

To encourage the boys and girls to do their share toward increasing the pork production of Missouri this year, I am making the following proposition:
To the boy or girl under 15 years of age in the Thirtieth Congressional District who writes the best essay on how to raise and fatten hogs on table and kitchen scraps, I will give a Thoroughbred White Yorkshire pig from my Grant Farm.

The pig to be shipped express, prepaid to winner. Non could not buy a pig from a breeder equal to this prize pig for less than \$100.

As a grand prize I will award a pair of fine White Yorkshire pigs from my Grant Farm to the boy or girl whose essay is declared by the judges to be the best submitted from any of the thirteen agricultural districts of Missouri.

CONDITIONS OF CONTEST.
Essays should be limited to 500 words, plainly written on one side of the paper. Each contestant should submit a written statement from parents, guardian or teacher that the essay was written by the contestant and that the writer will be permitted to retain the prize from the pig, if he or she should win.

All essays must reach me not later than noon, April 15, 1918. Awards will be made as soon as possible after the close of the contest.

The judges of the contest will be: Hon. J. M. Goforth, Secretary of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture, Jefferson City; Hon. Charles W. Green of Brookfield, president of the Board of Regents of the University of Missouri; and Mr. H. L. Blanton of Paris, former president of the Missouri Press Association.

This offer is made to encourage the Missouri boys and girls to practice conservation by converting ordinary waste food products into meat for our soldiers, and to stimulate them to become the owners of valuable, unencumbered live stock. Every boy and girl under 15 in this Congressional District is invited to join this contest and try to win. Mail all essays to:

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Order of Publication.

Washington County Circuit Court, March term, 1918, in vacation January 21, 1918.
In the Circuit Court of Washington County, Missouri, March term, 1918.
State of Missouri, County of Washington } ss.
And to the use of George Carr, collector of the revenue of Washington County, in the State of Missouri, plaintiff, against the unknown heirs, consorts, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary grantees of Julia A. Hemenway, deceased, and the unknown heirs, consorts, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary grantees of Michael Smith, deceased, defendants.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein, by his attorney, Parke M. Banta, before the clerk of the circuit court in vacation, and files his petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things, that the residence of the unknown heirs, consorts, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary grantees of Julia A. Hemenway, deceased, and the unknown heirs, consorts, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary grantees of Michael Smith, deceased, defendants, are unknown to plaintiff, and that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon them in this state.

Plaintiff further alleges under oath, that there are persons interested in the subject matter of this suit whose names he cannot insert in the petition because they are unknown to him; that he said unknown persons derive their title, interest and estate in said premises as the unknown heirs, consorts, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary grantees of Julia A. Hemenway, deceased, and as the unknown heirs, consorts, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary grantees of Michael Smith, deceased, and that said defendants are fully set out and described in said petition as the same are known to plaintiff.

Wherefore it is ordered by the clerk of the circuit court, in vacation, that order of publication be made, and that said defendants be notified that the plaintiff has commenced an action against them in this court, the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the State of Missouri for back taxes due for the years 1914, 1915 and 1916, on the following described real estate, to-wit: An undivided two-thirds interest in and to the west half of lots No. two and three of the northeast quarter, and the east half of lot No. three of the north-west quarter of section two (2), township thirty-six (36), north, range one (1) east, containing 164.39 acres.

An itemized statement in the nature of a tax bill, showing the amount of taxes and costs now due on said real estate for the years aforesaid, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of thirteen dollars and ninety-one cents (\$13.91), is filed with said petition and made a part thereof; and that unless said defendants be and appear in this court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house, in the city of Potosi, in said county, on the 4th day of March, 1918, and on or before the sixth day of said term, if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then on the last day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law, in the Potosi Journal, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County of Washington and State of Missouri.

Jos. Cresswell,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
A true copy from the record.
Attest: January 21, 1918.
JOS. CRESSWELL,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Five of One Family in the War.
Editor Journal:—Please publish in your paper that the Dawson family is doing its bit in the great war. The members of the family in service are: J. L. Dawson, father; G. W. Dawson, son; John H. Dawson, son; J. O. Thompson, son-in-law; Niles F. Horton, son-in-law; and Wm. M. Feder, son-in-law. Of these all but my son George are in the Navy or Naval Reserve, and George is in the National Army, so there are no slackers in my family. As for myself, I am in the field of things and Amre Le Guerre will have some very interesting things to write about that I am not allowed to write now. With best regards to all the friends that may remember me in Mineral Point and Hopewell, I am

J. L. Dawson,
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